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In the evening there will be a grand ball in the Opera House, with music by Smith's orchestra. E. E. Shaw, Wm McBride and Horton Godfrey are the committee in charge. A large number of invitations have been sent out and many guests are expected from abroad, and it is certain that both the games and the party will be very interesting and enjoyable.

—Yesterday was the eighty third anniversary of the birth of Dr. Oliver Wendell Holmes, the poet, and at his charming summer home he was visited by hundreds of friends. In the afternoon he held a reception in his library. Hundreds of letters and telegrams were sent to him from all parts of the world; many of them containing elegant souvenirs of affectionate regard. His brother poet, Whittier—the last remaining literary companion of his generation—sent a little poem commemorative of the occasion. But perhaps the most exquisite gift the doctor received was a delicate nautilus shell from Mrs. Wm. H. Moore, of Chicago. The shell was polished and set in a beautiful silver case on a silver stand, and in silver script letters bore a stanza from the doctor's favorite poem, "The Chambered Nautilus.



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—Peter J. Hermann is over from Rockford.

—Williams Andrus is down from Grand Detour.

—Charles Cummings is up from Bloomington.

—F. C. Dunlap was a Wyoming visitor this morning.

—H. L. Wetherbee, of Marshalltown, Iowa, is here.

—Mrs. John Emery is recovering from a severe illness.

—Frank Daily is home from a six weeks visit at Kansas City.

—J. Flanigan and W. Anderson are over from Sycamore.

—E. P. Shaw, of Ogden, Iowa, was in town a brief while to day.

—Prof. O. A. Clark and wife returned yesterday from a visit east.

—J. W. Hoyman, of Council Bluffs, was in town this forenoon.

—Oats in many localities are averaging fifty bushels to the acre.

—W. C. Brown was a Walton suburbanite in the city this morning.

—Labor Day, September 5, will be celebrated by a picnic up the river.

—Miss Condin, of Aurora, is visiting Mrs. Metcalf 103 Galena Avenue.

—Samuel Crawford and Frank Steninger are Armington people in town.

—Great crowds gather daily at "Rock River's rosey resort," Castle Rock.

—Prof. Ned Smith was out from Chicago on a short visit with relatives.

—Lawrence Bowers, living four miles north of Franklin Grove, is seriously ill.

—Albrecht Schmid, who lives up the river, has been quite sick with malarial fever.

—H. B. Prescott came up from Sandwich early this morning and spent the day in Dixon.

—Ralph M. Davis and W. McGinnis, of Moulton, Iowa, were two hawkeye men in town to-day.

—Highway commissioner George Gitt's lameness was caused by a heavy horse stepping on his foot.

—Nathan P. McKenney is opening a machine shop at 157 Hennepin avenue where he will do repairing.

—S. W. Button, of Galesburg, and O. D. Emerick, of Freeport, were out of town visitors this afternoon.

—Miss Harriet Russell returns this evening from her two months' visit with friends in Adrian, Michigan.

—Miss Nora E. Myers, a student at Prof. Steinmann's school, has accepted a lucrative position in Chicago.

—To-day is the thirty third anniverisity of the destructive frost that killed all the corn throughout the Northwest, in 1859.

—John Null, of this city, recently pursuing a course at the D. B. U., has entered on his duties in the office of the I. C. freight office.

—The Ladies' Aid Society, of St. Paul's Lutheran church, will meet Thursday afternoon at two o'clock, September 1st, at Mrs. Will Herricks, 303 West Third St.

—Wm. H. Godfrey's gelding "King Og" is entered in the opening races for tomorrow at Sterling, in the 3:00 class. He will make good time under the rein of Jack Suter.

—Stone workers and contractors will not forget the meeting of their guild at Armory Hall this evening to advise and to decide upon a uniform rate of charges upon work.

—The Franklin Reporter claims that the postoffice in that county ranks second in the county, basing the claim on information received during a recent visit of the government inspector.

—The lasters of the Riverside shoe factory will give an annual ball at Armory Hall next Tuesday evening, Sept. 6, to which a general invitation is given. Music by McCune's orchestra.

—The hog case of the people against George Ellis was this morning recontinued before Justice Downing until Sept. 6th, on account of the absence of a witness desired by the prosecution.

—Ex-Speaker Reed will address the people of Ogle county at Oregon next month. A multitude will gather to hear the noted orator discuss the issues of this campaign in a masterly manner.

—Doctors Vaughn & Kost vaccinated sixteen people Saturday afternoon, an indication that citizens of Dixon are, in a measure at least, complying with the warning of the State board of health.

—T. C. Richmond who was to address the harvest picnic at Franklin Grove has, owing to ill health, been obliged to cancel all his dates in this locality. Walter Thomas Mills took his place at Franklin to-day.

—The Dixon Monitor hook and ladder team were to contest at Ottawa to-day in three entries for prizes. First is a race for premiums of $75, $50 and $25; the second a hub race for $50, and the third a novelty run for $50.

THE GENTLEMAN IS MISTAKEN.

THE EVENING TELEGRAPH recently published a speech by the Democratic candidate for Vice President, delivered at his home in our neighboring city of Bloomington. Mr. Stevenson, our readers will remember, insisted that back in the fifties farmers and laborers of all kind were better off financially than now; that a days work then would purchase more than it will now. Strange to say the gentleman gave no proof whatever, to substantiate his statement, but we can show that prices during those days when there was not much of a tariff, clearly prove that he was mistaken. Furthermore James Buchanan, whose administration covered a part of the time spoken of by the gentleman who advocates free-trade, and spoke particularly of the benefits derived from the low tariff of 1846, called the attention of the country to the deplorable condition of the entire nation on account of the hard times, stating that iron mills and other manufacturing establishments were closing, laborers could not find employment to support their families, and distress prevailed generally. The President asked Congress to take some measures to relieve the distressed financial condition of the country. This was in the very midst of the "decade and a half" which Mr. Stevenson says "has been truly called the golden period of our history." Truly the candidate for Vice President should be better acquainted with the history of his country. Mr. Stevenson speaks particularly of the hardships of the farmer now, and absurdly insists that under the tariff for revenue of 1846 he was much more prosperous Let us see.

Then a bushel of wheat would buy ¼ of a barrel of salt: it will now buy two barrels.

A bushel of corn would buy 7½ pounds of sugar: today it will buy 12½ pounds.

Ten pounds of butter bought 33⅓ yards of cotton cloth then: now it will purchase 48½ yards.

Ten pounds of cheese were worth 25 pounds of nails: the cheese now pays for 54 pounds of nails.

These figures are based on New York City prices. But as a matter of fact he never realized anything like those prices in his local market.

Freights were high, and when the cost of carting produce to the New York market was deducted from New York prices for farm produce, and the cost of bringing the merchandise from New York to the village store at which he traded was added to the price of what he bought, the average farmer was really not more than half as well off ten years before the war as our figures would indicate.

Not one word did Adlai Stevenson give as proof that the farmer under the revenue tariff of 1846 was in a more prosperous condition than today. It would be hard for him to make any farmer in Lee county believe his statement, especially those who carted wheat to Chicago and sold it for sixty cents a bushel; corn at ten cents and pork at one and a half cents per pound; and then paid three times as much for dry goods and groceries as they pay now under the robber tariff. In 1857 it cost 25¼ cents to send a bushel of wheat by the cheapest route from Chicago New York: in 1891 it cost less than six cents.

Surrounded by these conditions, life on the farm was hard indeed. Calico and Kentucky jean had to do for Sunday garments, and an ox cart in which to ride to church was the heighth of style.

Luxuries for the table were almost unknown: Johnny cake and salt pork was a princely diet. Those were days of hard times, and we do not understand how a man pretending statesmanship could have the gall to make the statements which Mr. Stevenson did in his speech at Bloomington, when the condition of the laboring men, the factories and the general condition of the country under the tariff of 1846 were just the opposite of that stated by him, and this, too, with the great help for making better times of the discovery of gold in California and war with Mexico.

We would like Mr. Stevenson to explain why it was that, as shown by statestics, pauperism increased from 1851 to 1858 to an appalling extent.

Truly Statesmanship has fallen into bad hands.

IS TARIFF A TAX.

The readers of THE TELEGRAPH have heard the wail by free-trade newspapers and orators regarding the oppression which our people suffer, on what they term the tariff tax on tin. They will hear it again and we would like to have one of these sufferers (?) explain why it is that tin plate is today a little over five dollars per ton less than it was last year, and why it is ninety-three dollars and fifty-four cents per ton cheaper than it was nineteen years ago. This fact brings up the question often asked by the free-trader, to-wit: If protection lowers the price of a commodity why do the manufacturers ask for it? There are people who really can not understand why a manufacturer should ask for a law that reduces the price of the article he manufactures. The answer is plain: He asks protection because without it he could not establish or maintain the industry at

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Do you remember the prophesies in this space of one year ago in regard to the growth and prosperity of Dixon? Are they not fully verified?

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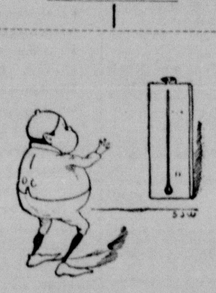
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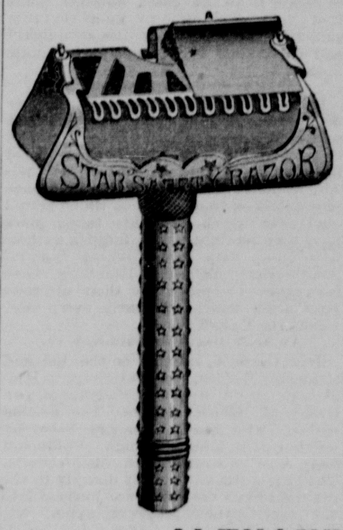
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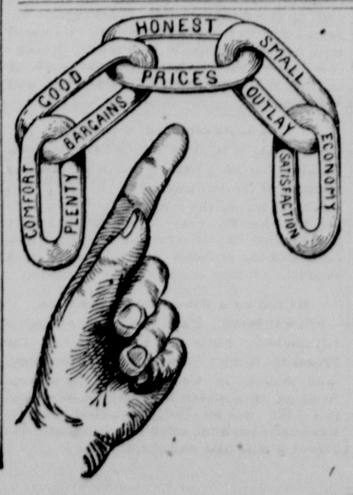
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French Figures Showing That the Water Should Be Watched—Authorities on This Side Alive to the Danger—British Doctors Declare Recent Cases Only Cholerine, but It Kill Quickly and Thoroughly — Hamburg Presents a Fearful Death Roll—Other German Places, Including Berlin, Infected—Epidemic Notes.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 30.—Our consul at Liverpool cabled yesterday: "Cholera imminent. Strongly urge inspection of immigrants under consular direction, with official disinfection." Our consul at Glasgow cables: "Cholera outbreak here among Russian immigrants for America." Government officials are fully alive to the added danger of introducing cholera into this country from Europe arising out of the fact that it has appeared in England on its journey westward. Acting Secretary Spaulding said yesterday that all the necessary regulations prescribing precautions against its introduction had been sent to government officials along the Atlantic seaboard and along the border and the only thing to do now was to see that they were strictly enforced. If more stringent or better methods than those now in force were suggested or occurred to him he would at once adopt them. Cities and individuals could do much in a sanitary sense in restraining the introduction of cholera by keeping their cities and premises free from garbage.

Polluted Water Deadly.

Bearing on this latter point was a report from a public hygiene committee of Paris, France, made to the French ministry and forwarded to the state department. This report says that the cholera in the department of the Seine was caused by the use of the polluted waters of the river Seine. Figures are given showing that while there were from July 16 to Aug. 7 135 deaths from cholera in the suburbs of Paris, in Paris there were but forty-six deaths from cholera. The people of the suburbs used Seine water almost exclusively, while those in Paris did not use it. The French army has but few cases of cholera, the water the soldiers use being filtered or boiled, or spring water.

Situation Becoming More Serious.

Surgeon General Wyman was an early caller yesterday at the treasury department and he had a long and earnest conversation with Mr. Spaulding on the subject. The doctor said the situation is becoming very serious as the disease spreads. He had hoped that yesterday's reports from abroad would show a decrease in the number of cases. He said that New York had a first class quarantine plant in charge of a capable physician, Dr. Jenkins. Boston, Philadelphia and Baltimore also have well equipped quarantine stations. Charleston, S. C., probably has the best plant of any of the stations along the Atlantic coast because of the fear of yellow fever coming from the south.

WHAT'S THE DIFFERENCE?

Between Cholerine and Cholera—They Both Kill Quickly.

LONDON, Aug. 30.—What with the assertions and denials made regarding the presence of cholera in England it would be hard to decide whether or not the cases that have occurred here have been true Asiatic cholera or not. In some quarters it is positively asserted that there is doubt that true cholera has effected an entrance into the country, while on the other hand it is just as positively asserted that the disease is nothing but simple cholerine from which no danger need be apprehended.

They Died in a Hurry All the Same.

Dr. Whitcomb, the sanitary officer at Gravesend, who inspected the steamer Gemma, which arrived here from Hamburg on Thursday last, and three of whose passengers subsequestly died from what was said to be Asiatic cholera, emphatically denies that the disease was the dreaded eastern scourge. He attended all three of the victims in the hospital, and says that they died from cholerine. The facts in regard to all the cases, however, make it of little satisfaction to know that it is cholerine, for the victim dies as quickly and as certainly as if it was "true Asiatic cholera."

The Peril of America.

It is a significant fact that the two deaths from cholera which have occurred at Glasgow, as well as the three deaths at Gravesend, all took place in the ranks of bodies of emigrants who were on their way to the United States. While steerage passengers on board ships on which actual outbreaks of cholera have taken place have been retained by the English authorities, many ship loads coming from infected parts, including Hamburg, have been allowed to proceed to their ultimate destination, which, in nearly every case, means the United States.

Another Death at Middleboro.

John Carse, a seaman on the infected steamship Gerona, from Hamburg to Middleborough, died at Middleborough yesterday of Asiatic cholera. The Gerona seaman who died of cholera Saturday was buried in Middleborough. Coffin and body were saturated with disinfectants. The hearse took the body directly to the graveyard and the coffin was lowered into the grave without prayer or hymn. Nobody, except the undertaker and his assistants, attended the funeral.

HAMBURG'S CHOLERA RECORD.

Nearly Three Thousand Cases and Over 1,000 Deaths in a Week.

HAMBURG, Aug. 30.—During the week which ended yesterday noon there had been 2,837 cases of cholera in this city; 1,087 of them have been fatal. The authorities express the opinion that a climax has been reached and that a steady abatement of the disease may now be expected. Their reasons for this opinion are not given, and it is thought they are merely trying to allay the fears of the people.

The Microbe in the Water.

The sanitary officers announce that the spread of cholera in Hamburg is directly traceable to the use of the Elbe water for drinking. The water is filthy, they say, and so impregnated with poisonous matter that it constantly menaces the city with epidemics. The presence of Russian emigrants in the city is pronounced to have been of but secondary importance in the spreading of the plague. Had the health of the people not already have been undermined by impure drinking water, it is said, little or no damage would have attended the transport through the city of families from the infected districts of Russia.

Those Get Away Who Can.

Nevertheless the local government board has ordered that dirty and ailing emigrants shall not be allowed to land unless they give their names, occupation and addresses, so that they can be easily followed and watched. The assurances of the municipal authorities that the cholera has done its worst have not received much credence. Men who have no business, or are at liberty to leave the city for a short time, continue to leave the city. Although no general exodus is apparent the railroads yesterday carried 40 per cent. more passengers than their average. Most of the fugitives go to the coast, although about 500 passengers have left for the interior.

German Towns Suspected.

BERLIN, Aug. 30.—The emperor has not yet decided whether it will be necessary to stop the autumn manœuvers on account of the cholera. Petitions arrive at the palace daily praying for such postponement. There is reason to fear that numerous towns are concealing the fact that cholera exists within their borders. It is believed that the disease exists in Breslau, Posen, Cologne, Treves, Nuremburg and Pforzheim. Both Prussia and Bavaria have prohibited the autumn agricultural shows and similar meetings. Prussia has also forbidden the usual festivities on the anniversary of the victory of Sedan, Sept. 1 and 2, so far as the infected towns are concerned

Precautions at Liverpool.

LIVERPOOL, Aug. 30.—The health officials at this port have begun applying high pressure steam in the disinfection of the baggage of all emigrants from districts infected, or suspects of infection. The boarding houses near the docks are crowded with emigranted awaiting the departures of the Wednesday and Thursday boats. Hundreds who were booked before the cholera scare to sail for America are expected to arrive hourly before the boat sails.

Hamburgers Spending the Scourge

BERLIN, Aug. 30.—Kiel university has sent out 150 physicians, under special instruction to work in the cities where cholera has appeared. About half of the more advanced students in the medical department are among the number. Several cases of cholera were reported last evening from Rendsberg, eighteen miles west of Kiel, and Oldesloe, about an hour's ride from Hamburg. Families from Hamburg are said to have taken temporary residence there within the last week.

Chicago Begins Cleaning Up.

CHICAGO, Aug. 30.—Health Commissioner Ware yesterday instituted initial measures to prevent the spread of cholera, should it appear in this city. In connection with the police department he has made arrangements to clean the back yards. Extra teamshave been engaged for this purpose. The police are to accompany the teamsters and they are instructed to see that the garbage gatherers are allowed to enter all private yards and to clean them when deemed necessary.

Wasn't a Case of Cholera.

NEW YORK, Aug. 30.—Anton Potzel, the Austrian who arrived in this city two or three weeks ago from Hamburg, and who was taken to Bellevue hospital Sunday afternoon suffering from what at first was thought to be Asiatic cholera, but later was diagnosed as an acute attack of cholera morbus, was drested and walking about the isolated tent at the hospital early yesterday morning and looking for his breakfast.

The Red Cross Ordered to Duty.

VIENNA, Aug. 30.—Emperor Franz Joseph has ordered the Red Cross society to organize for the cholera service throughout Austria. Ten hospital barracks are to be erected in different parts of the empire and most of these will be under the supervision of the Red Cross. The society also will undertake the transport service, it is said, for conveying patients from their homes to hospitals.

Philadelphia Is Wide Awake.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Aug. 30.—The board of health yesterday made a request on the city councils to make an extra appropriation of $50,000 to the department of public safety, bureau of health, for expenses incurred in preventing cholera from reaching here.

Cholera Reported at Havana.

NEW YORK, Aug. 30.—The report that cholera has broken out at Havana decided the quarantine officials to be more careful about steamships coming from that port. It is not thought that the report is true, but they have decided to be on the lookout.

Outbreak at a Berlin Suburb.

BERLIN, Aug. 30.—An outbreak of Asiatic cholera was reported yesterday from Weissense, a suburb of the city. The number of suspected cases in the whole city yesterday was fifteen. Many persons continue to arrive from Hamburg and a few from Altona.

Sixty New Cases at Havre.

HAVRE, Aug. 30.—Sixty fresh cases of cholera were found here yesterday and twenty-four cases have ended fatally.

Pythians Meet Next at Washington.

KANSAS CITY, Aug. 30.—The next biennial session of the supreme lodge and encampment of the Knights of Pythias will be held at Washington, so the supreme lodge decided yesterday after a sharp contest between Louisvills, Washington and Indianapolis. The vote was a close one, and on the final roll-call Washington received 52 votes while Louisville followed with 50. Indianapolis was not in the contest after the preliminary skirmishing and the fight narrowed to Louisville and Washington.

They Cremated a Dive.

MERRILL, Wis., Aug. 30.—About 1 o'clock Sunday morning half a hundred leading citizens of Merrill formed in a body and marched across the river to the infamous den that has for years disgraced that city and burned the dive to the ground. The action of the citizens was the result of a murder recently committed in the dive.

Killed by a Blow Below the Belt.

SHENANDOAH, Pa., Aug. 30.—Lewis Ringheiser, while at his work in the breast in Kehley Run colliery yesterday, was struck in the abdomen by a large lump of coal which had become loose and fell. He was so badly crushed that he lived only an hour after the accident. He leaves a wife and one child.

LABOR VIOLENCE.

Strikers Fire a Volley at Their Successors.

THE ATTACK MADE IN THE DARK.

Four Men Badly Wounded, One of Whom Returns the Fire and Hits His Mark—Pinkertons Play It Low Down on Homestead Strikers—A Search for Guns That Didn't Pan Out—More Arrests—Buffalo Switchmen Meet and Denounce the Militia.

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 30.—A strike has been in progress here for some days by the switchmen of the New Orleans and Northeastern railway, a part of the Queen and Crescent system, growing out of the objection of the men to the yardmaster, who was from St. Louis. The men left work and the yardmaster telegraphed to St. Louis for switchmen to take their places. A party of eleven men arrived here at 9 o'clock last night from St. Louis and went to work at once. At 11:15 p. m. the men were seated around the yard talking when four of them in a group were suddenly fired upon and all four fell badly wounded.

Two Funerals Will Result.

As far as could be made out there were a dozen men in the attacking party. One of the wounded men had strength enough left to draw his revolver and fire, bringing down one of their assailants. The other switchmen rushed up to the assistance of their wounded brethren and the strikers fled. George Sprague, of the switchmen, was fatally wounded, and will live only a few hours, and W.R. Smith, W. R. Maples and J. F. Jones are seriously and perhaps fatally wounded. James Sexton, of the strikers, is also fatally hurt.

GALL FOR HOMESTEAD STRIKERS.

They Have Been Falling on the Necks of Hated Pinkertons.

HOMESTEAD, Pa., Aug. 30.—It was learned yesterday that the Pinkerton agency some time ago sent forty men into the Carnegie mill as non-union workmen. These men deserted in small squads, and were taken into the strikers' ranks. They gained the confidence of the Amalgamated leaders, and, it is said, gathered considerable evidence against participants in the riot of last July. It is also said that they have discovered the hiding place of the captured rifles and will proceed against those who have possession of them.

Going to Look for Those Guns.

A surprising number of Pinkerton men were in Homestead yesterday and there is much suppressed excitement over the proposed search for the guns of the captured Pinkertons. For several weeks Pinkerton's best detectives have been endeavoring to locate the weapons and now with the authority of search warrants they propose to compel the possessors of the Winchesters to surrender them. Two months ago the great steel works shut down, and so far as the men are concerned there is no perceptible weakening, nor do the majority express any doubt of victory. The firm insists that so far as they are concerned the strike is over, and point to the mills as their evidence.

Hotels Inside the Works.

Yesterday architects began the preparation of plans for two hotels of about 100 rooms each to be erected just inside the mill yard at Munhall station for the use of single employes of the Carnegie Steel company. The buildings will be fitted with all possible conveniences. An official of the company said yesterday: "Our idea is to give our men a nice room, good food and all conveniences possible for a small sum per week. They will be as comfortable as if they were at their homes."

Found Only One Box.

The search for the Pinkerton weapons last night did not prove very successful, as only a box of Wichester rifles were secured.

RESUMED THE PROSECUTIONS.

The Carnegie Company Has Six Men Arrested.

PITTSBURG, Aug., 30.—Secretary Lovejoy, of the Carnegie Steel company, has resumed his prosecutions against the Homestead strikers again, and as a result six persons who were in Homestead July 6, the day the Little Bill was forced to surrender, were arrested yesterday, charged with conspiracy and aggravated riot. Five of the men were arrested in Homestead. They are Burgess John McLuckie and George Ryland, charged with conspiracy; Thomas J. Crawford, chairman of the advisory committee, and William Gatches, charged with riot and conspiracy, and William Oeffner, charged with riot.

All Gave Bail Except One.

John Edwards, the sixth man, was arrested in Allegheny last night at a museum where he had secured a position as musician. Edwards is charged with riot. The men all gave bail for a hearing and were released, with the exception of Edwards, who in default of bail was sent to jail.

OPINION ON THE EIGHT-HOUR LAW.

Attorney General Miller Called on for an Interpretation.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 30.—In response to a request the attorney general has rendered an opinion as to the application of the eight-hour law. The attorney general in his opinion says: "In view of the previous legislation upon the subject, the alleged evil sought to be corrected, and in deference to the legislative understanding and purpose apparent in debate and reports of committees while the act was under consideration—the act itself, without violence to its language, being susceptible of either construction—I am constrained to hold that the law, as to laborers and mechanics in the direct employment of the government and of the District of Columbia, is general, and that the limitation to public works applies only to such persons as are in the employ of contractors and sub-contractors.

Their Cases Are in Doubt.

"As to your second question, pertaining to particular employes, I beg to suggest that its answer depends upon matters of fact not stated and not within my cognizance. If the employes named are ordinary laborers or mechanics working for the government for wages under ordinary conditions, the statute would seem to apply. At the same time, it is quite apparent that as to some of them it might frequently happen that they be within the emergency exception named in the statute, and as to others, as, for instance, sailors, or others on shipboard, or teamsters, their employment being peculiar, they might well be held to be, as a matter of fact, neither laborers nor mechanics within the meaning of the statute."

MEETING OF BUFFALO STRIKERS.

They Denounce the Militia for Shooting Young Broderick.

BUFFALO, Aug. 30.—The troops have all been withdrawn and their places been taken by a comparatively small force of deputy sheriffs and police at those points in the railway yards where trouble is most likely to occur. Five men were arrested yesterday for interfering with switchmen at work, and some stone throwing is reported. This causes the men at work to be always on the qui vive and many are reluctant to stay at work.

Resolutions of Denunciation

H. Walter Webb's name was roundly hissed last night when the workingmen of the south side of Buffalo met in mass meeting to take action on the death of young Michael Broderick, who was killed by the militia during the strike last week. John H. Hynes presided, and one of the speakers was Dennis H. Ryan, master of the local assembly K. of L.

Letter from a Priest.

Rev. Father Cronin, editor of The Catholic Union, sent a letter in which he said: "It seems to me that the deadly shooting of the young boy was not only unjustifiable, but unsoldierly as well, and I believe the vigorous denunciation of the cruel deed by the district attorney and coronor finds general indorsement in this community."

The Resolutions Adopted.

The resolutions demanded that the authorities hunt down the "cowardly assassin;" that the district attorney prosecute, and that if the city was under martial law at the time, the governor be called upon to order a court martial. A committee was appointed to carry out the purpose of the meeting.

Will Shut Off Credit.

QUINCY, Mass., Aug. 30.—An arrangement went into effect yesterday by which the terms of credit to the locked out granite cutters will be limited to thirty days by all members of the Quincy Grocer's association. The movement has frequently been urged by the granite manufacturers who are now satisfied that the men will be speedily starved into subjection. As the grocers are dependent upon the workingmen for support and the workingmen are strongly united through the central labor union, it is not improbable that the union may establish co-operative stores.

More Striking in the Lumber Mills.

RHINELANDER, Wis., Aug. 30.—The mill hands at Eagle River and Woodboro, numbering in all about 500 men, are out on strike for ten hours a day with present wages and bi-monthly pay. At Eagle River a number of men have been paid off and discharged.

CARNIVAL OF PUGILISM.

The Men Who Will Meet Each Other at New Orleans Next Week.

CHICAGO, Aug. 30.—Next week New Orleans sports will have a feast of black eyes, slugs under the ear and knockouts. Gore will also probably flow freely. On the 7th of September Sullivan and Corbett meet in the prize ring to contest for the championship of the world. Then "Billy" Meyer, of Streator, Ills., meets Jack McAuliffe for the light-weight championship, and Dixon and Skelly try conclusions for the featherweight championship. The preparations at New Orleans are complete, and there will be the greatest gathering of sports ever known in the United States.

They Are All Confident.

Each of the gladiators is confident of victory. Sullivan reached Brooklyn last night and gave an exhibition in which it was noticed that he looked rather fat around the waist, and perspired and puffed freely, but he was exceedingly spry on his feet. In a speech he was modest and said to wait until after Sept. 7 before any talking was done. The crowd which was immense, cheered him to the echo. He said that Corbett might prove a surprise. He starts for New Orleans Thursday.

Corbett Shows Bad Temper.

Corbett will leave New York, where he now is, Saturday night. He met Dominick McCafferty yesterday to arrange a four round go, but they couldn't agree and Corbett threatened to throw McCafferty out of the window. Corbett had a benefit last night and received an ovation. The other fighters—Meyer, McAuliffe, Dixon and Skelly, are all very fit, it is said.

SAYS NISBETT WRONGED HIM

A Sensational Case of Divorce Begun at Chicago.

CHICAGO, Aug. 30.—A sensational divorce suit was begun yesterday by Alfred M. Compton. Mr. Compton is a salesman with the house of J. V. Farwell & Co., and well known in the social circles of Evanston, having resided in that suburb over twenty years. The most sensational feature of the bill is that Thomas C. Nisbett is named as co-respondent. Mr. Nisbett is one of the best known men in Sunday school work in Illinois. For many years he has been a leader in church work and he now holds the position of chairman of the Illinois division of the Christian Endeavor society missionary board.

The Accused Man Denies It.

Nisbett used to live in Alton, Ill., at which place he ran a big grocery. He left Alton about eight years ago and went to Minneapolis, where he was prominent in church work. Two or three years ago, however, Nisbett left the Flour City and came to Chicago, where he has since been engaged in real estate work. He declares he will have no difficulty in proving his innocence.

National League Base Ball.

CHICAGO, Aug. 30.—Chicago's colts won their sixth consecutive game yesterday. Following are the League scores at base ball: At Chicago—Philadelphia 4, Chicago 7; at Louisville—Brooklyn 10, Louisville 4; at St. Louis—Washington 5, St. Louis 6; at Cincinnati—Boston 5, Cincinnati 2; at Cleveland—Baltimore 1, Cleveland 20; at Pittsburg—New York 6, Pittsburg 9.

Illinois-Iowa: At Rock-Island—Rockford 0, Rock-Island 3.

If You Want to Study Coke.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 30.—The census office has published a rather interesting report devoted to the production of coke in the flat top region of Virginia and West Virginia, known as the Pocahontas district, a territory in which the industry has recently been developed with an unusual degree of success.

Democratic Branch Headquarters.

NEW YORK, Aug. 30.—The meeting of Don M. Dickinson, E. C. Wall and E. T. Cable, the committee in charge of the branch headquarters at Chicago will be held in that city on Thursday, Sept. 1.

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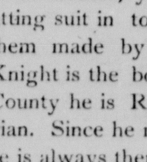
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POLITICAL NEWS.

Stevenson Helps Open the Missouri Campaign.

GREAT MEETING AT SEDALIA, MO.

Afternoon and Evening Parades—Senator Vest Present—Report That Blaine Will Go to Reside at Los Angeles and That He Is Out of Politics, Barring a Few Speeches, Perhaps—President Harrison Going to New York—Weaver in Arkansas.

SEDALIA, Mo., Aug. 30.—There was a Democratic rally in this city today in which campaign clubs from all the principal cities and towns of central Missouri participated. Among the speakers were Hon. Adlai Stevenson; Hon. W. J. Stone, candidate for governor of Missouri, and Senator Vest. General Srevenson arrived here on the morning train direct from his home at Bloomington, Ills.

Parades Day and Night.

He was met by a reception committee and escorted to the residence of George P. B. Jackson, Senator Vest's son-in-law, where he took breakfast. After breakfast he was escorted to Sieber's hotel, which was his headquarters for the day. The grand demonstration took place this afternoon. The first thing being the parade which was in eight divisions. The end of the parade was Association park, where the speaking took place. This evening a torchlight procession takes place and Senator Vest and others will speak.

BLAINE WILL GO TO LOS ANGELES.

An Alleged Friend Says He Is Through with Politics.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 30.—"Blaine has commissioned Joseph Medill to purchase for him a residence in Los Angeles," said a friend of the ex-secretary yesterday. "He would like to remain in Bar Harbor, but the rigors of a Maine winter are too severe for him in his present state of health, and he has lived so many winters in Washington he would have a hard time standing the Maine climate even in his best condition.

May Make a Speech or Two.

"Moreover, Blaine is through with politics so far as his personal aspirations are concerned. He may make a speech or two during the campaign just to give an outward show that there is no ill-feeling between him and the party for its failure to nominate him. But that will be all. He made up his mind to this shortly after receiving the news of his defeat at Minneapolis. The death of his son Emmons strengthened his decision to the sticking point."

Dent Ought to Know.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 30.—Louis Dent, private secretary to James G. Blaine, said last night that he knew nothing of the reported removal of Mr. Blaine to California for permanent residence.

President Harrison's Journey.

LOON LAKE, N. Y., Aug. 30.—Secretary of State Foster visited the president yesterday on official business. The president will leave Loon Lake this evening and go to Ophir Farm, Whitelaw Reid's country residence, to talk over campaign matters with him. He will start on his return Thursday, and en route stop for a few minutes at Pokeepsie, Albany and other points, where he will speak briefly from his car. At Herkimer he will be the guest over night of Warner Miller. Friday stops will be made at Utica and elsewhere and that night he will stay at Ogdensburg. He will arrive home Saturday.

Labor Commissioner Peck's Report.

ALBANY, Aug. 30.—A report from Labor Commissioner Peck is giving the people here a lot to talk about. Peck is a friend and appointee of Governor Hill, and his report was made to show the effect of the tariff on wages. According to his conclusions the effect has been to raise wages. The figures from which he argues are all from manufacturers and involve 285,000 workers who were paid in 1891 over $6,000,000 more than in 1890. The national Republican committee will use the report, while the Democrats will doubtless take measures to prove it misleading.

Judge Morse Resigns.

LANSING, Mich, Aug. 30.—Allen B. Morse yesterday tendered to Governor Winans his resignation as chief justice of the supreme court, to take effect Oct. 5. In his letter of resignation Judge Morse says that when he accepted the nomination for governor on the Democratic ticket he expected to resign his present office within a few days, but on account of the condition of business in the court he decided to remain in office until after the first day of the next term of court.

They Howled Weaver Down.

WYNNE, Ark., Aug. 30.—General James B. Weaver, People's party candidate for president, spoke here last night from the balcony of his hotel. His audience was composed exclusively of Democrats, who gave him a respectful hearing until he made an attack on Mr. Cleveland. This was received with hisses, groans and yells and the speaker was howled down.

CHARACTERISTIC SKETCH.

A "Little Difficulty" at a Louisiana "Hoe-Down."

HAUGHTON, La., Aug. 30.—Three men were killed at Allen Bros.' mill Saturday night in a fight at a dance—Maurice Miller, and Bob and John Carter. Miller was on the floor with Ida Pilkinton, when Bob Carter came up and said: "This is our set." She said "No," and Bob said "You are a liar," whereupon Miller knocked him down. Then John fired three shots at Miller, all taking effect. Miller seized John, then Bob cut Miller in the back.

Miller, the Man with the Nerve.

Miller drew his knife and went to work on both. The fight lasted about five minutes, at the end of which Bob and John Carter were both dead. Miller walked across the room and sat down, made and smoked a cigarette. He was taken to the home of Mr. Pilkinton, where he died at 5:30 o'clock Sunday morning. When he was undressed twenty-four knife wounds and three bullet wounds were found.

Lost His Life to Prevent a Runaway.

CARLISLE, Pa., Aug. 30.—David E Hough, a prominent farmer residing near Oakville, was at the store there yesterday. He heard a fast train on the Cumberland Valley railroad coming and rushed across the track to guard his horses. The train struck him and killed him instantly.

ABBREVIATED TELEGRAMS.

Oliver Wendell Holmes yesterday celebrated his 83d birthday at Beverly Farms, Mass.

The loss by the Metropolitan Opera house fire at New York is placed at $300,000. The work of rebuilding will be completed in ninety days.

A Brunswick, Ga., lumberman was treated to a coat of tar and feathers for alleged intimacy with a neighbor's wife.

The Equitable League, an order formed on the same lines as the Iron Hall, is likely to follow that organization in the courts. Several certificate holders at Baltimore allege that it is insolvent and demand a receiver.

Obituary: At Jaffna, Ceylon, Rev. William Ware Howland, for nearly fifty years a missionary, aged 75. At Mount Pleasant, N. Y., General J. P. Blauvelt, ex-mayor of Nyack. At New Orleans, Paul E. Theard, aged 67.

The Northern Michigan Lumber company's factory near Oden, Mich., burned. The loss on buildings, machinery and lumber will not be far short of $150,000.

Maurice Miller fought Bob and John Carter at a dance near Haughton, La., and killed them both, receiving wounds which resulted in his own death a few hours later.

A pitched ball hit John Donnelly in the neck and killed him while he was playing base ball at Lansford, Luzerne county, Pa.

Fire at East Tawas, Mich., destroyed property of the value of $8,500.

Wesley McCroy, of Woburn, Ills., has commenced suit against Mark Hendrix, his father-in-law, for $10,000 damages, for alienating his wife's affections. McCroy's wife has begun a suit for divorce, and he alleges that his father-in-law is the cause of all his domestic woes.

Two freight trains on the Missouri Pacific railroad collided at Washington, Mo., and Fireman John Siebold was killed.

Judge Williamson of the Fourth judicial district of Mississippi, has charged the grand jury in Leflore county that it is an indictable offense for a man to screen himself by holding an open umbrella across his shoulder while taking a drink in a saloon. The law of the state abolishes screens in saloons.

Gilbert G. Rice, who was examining timber in the Coal Creek, Tenn., region at the time of the strike, says the miners captured him, and when he lied to them in reply to their questions as to the situation in the convict stockades—said lies causing them to lose several lives—they tied him to a frieght car and started it down the mountains. The rope broke soon after the start and Rice got off with his life, but suffering from a couple of broken ribs and other injuries.

Redfern, Alexander & Co., merchants and bankers of London, have failed, with liabilities of £250,000.

In a railroad collision near Brussels two persons were killed and eighteen were seriously injured.

Louis B. McWhirter, a prominent politician of Fresno, Cal., were murdered by unknown assassins.

None of the Brooklyn Chinamen has yet complied with the registration law. Dr. Joseph Thoms, leader of the Chinese community in that city, says he will not register. The plan is to test the constitutionality of the law.

New Bank Authorized.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 30.—The People's National bank of Claremont, N. H., capital $100,000, has been authorized to begin business.

The Weather We May Expect.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 30.—The following are the weather indications for twenty-four hours from 8 p. m. yesterday: For Indiana and Illinois—Showers; cooler weather; winds shifting to northwesterly. For Wisconsin—Showers; clearing by tonight; cooler in eastern portion; winds shifting to northerly. For Iowa—Fair weather; preceded by showers in eastern portion; cooler in eastern, warmer in western portion; northwesterly winds. For Lower Michigan—Showers; cooler weather; fresh to high southwesterly winds. For Upper Michigan—Showers; cooler in western portion; winds shifting to northerly.

LIVE STOCK AND PRODUCE MARKETS.

Chicago.

CHICAGO, Aug. 29.

Following were the quotations on the board of trade today: Wheat—August, opened 75½c, closed 75⅝c; September, opened 76, closed 76⅛c; December, opened 79c, closed 78¾c. Corn—August, opened 51c; closed 51½c; September, opened and closed 51½c; October, opened 51½c, closed 51⅝c. Oats—September, opened 34⅜c, closed 34½c; October, opened and closed 34⅝c; May, opened 37¾c, closed 37½c. Pork—September, opened $10.60, closed $10.65; October, opened $10.70, closed $10.73½; January, opened $12.40, closed $12.50. Lard—September, opened and closed $7.80.

Live Stock—Prices at the Union Stock yards today ranged as follows: Hogs—Market rather active on packing and shipping account and prices 10@15c higher; feeling rather firm; sales ranged at $4.00@4.90 pigs, 4.75@5.45 light, $4.75@4.80 rough packing, $4.85@5.45 mixed, and $5.05@5.60 heavy packing and shipping lots.

Cattle—Market only moderately active on local and shipping account; good grades steady but common qualities 5@10c lower; quotations ranged at $5.00@5.40 choice to extra shipping steers, $4.50@4.90 good to choice do, $4.20@4.50 fair to good, $3.50@4.10 common to medium do, $3.40@4.00 butchers' steers, $2.50@3.25 stockers, $2.00@3.00 Texas steers, $2.75@4.25 range steers, $3.30@3.70 feeders, $1.75@3.00 cows, $3.00@3.25 bulls, and $4.25@5.25 veal calves.

Sheep—Market slow and dull; prices 10@20c lower; quotations ranged at $4.00@4.60 per 100 lbs western, $3.00@3.35 natives, $3.25@4.30 Texas, and $3.00@5.75 lambs.

Produce: Butter—Fancy separator, 24@24½c; fine creameries, 22@23c; dairies, fancy, fresh, 20@22c; packing stock, fresh, 14c. Eggs—Southern stock, 16½c per doz.; northern, 17c, loss off. Live Poultry—Hens, 11c per lb; spring chickens, 13½c per lb; roosters, 6c; ducks, 9c; spring ducks, 10c; turkeys, 12c per lb. Potatoes—Minnesota Early Ohios, 65@70c per bu.; Kansas Early Ohios, 55@60 per bu.; St. Louis Early Ohios, 50@55c per bu.; Long Island Rose, $2.25@2.50 per brl. Apples—Green, $2.50@2.75 per brl; poor, $1.00@1.25; red, $3.25@3.50; Duchess, $4.00@5.00 per brl; 15@40c per box. Blackberries—$1.25@1.75 per 16-quart cass. Huckleberries—$1.00@1.50 per 16-quart case.

New York.

NEW YORK, Aug. 29.

Wheat—No. 2 mixed cash, 81¾c; September, 81½c; October, 83¾c. Corn—No. 2 mixed cash 61c; September, 55¾c; October, 58¾c. Oats—No. 2 mixed cash, 33c on spot; September, 33¾c; October, 30¾c. Rye—Neglected. 61@65c in car lots. Barley—Neglected. Pork—Quiet; old mess, $11.75@12.00. Lard—Dull; September, $8.00 bid; October, $8.00 bid.

Live Stock: Cattle—Trading slow, but steady for all grades; poorest to best native steers $3.75@5.10 per 100 lbs; Texans and Colorados $3.45@3.75; bulls and cows, $2.25@3.50. Sheep and Lambs—Sheep, $4.65@5.25 per 100 lbs; lambs, $4.25@6.80. Hogs—Nominally lower; live hogs, $5.50@5.90 per 100 lbs.

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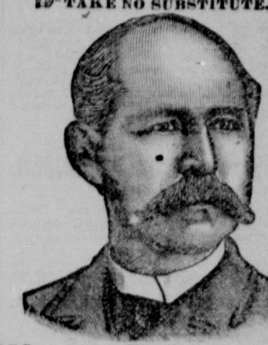


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Time	9:00 P.M.	7:00 A.M.	2:00 P. M.
Temperature ...	72°	54°	90°

*Maximum Temperature..... 69°
†Minimum Temperature..... 53°
‡Precipitation..... .00 in.

*Highest since 9 o'clock last night
†Lowest since 9 o'clock last night.
‡Rain or snow fall. Trace, less than .01 inch

A. O. CLARK, Observer.

R. TIME TABLE.

CHICAGO & NORTHWESTERN R. R.

TRAINS GOING WEST.

No 1 Overland Limited	A	1:23 a m
No 7 Pacific Express	A	2:08 a m
No 11 Clinton Passenger	C	12:25 p m
No 3 Omaha Express	C	3:55 p m
No 9 Sterling Passenger	C	7:27 p m
No 5 Denver Limited	A	8:57 p m
No 35 Clinton Freight		6:42 a m

No. 11 will run through to Clinton.

TRAINS GOING EAST.

No 8 Atlantic Express	A	3:25 a m
No 6 Denver Limited	A	5:22 a m
No 2 Overland Limited	A	6:54 a m
No 10 Sterling Passenger	C	7:12 a m
No 4 Chicago Express	C	10:59 a m
No 12 Clinton Passenger	C	2:22 p m
No 16 Freight		7:42 p m

"A" Daily.
"C" Daily except Sunday.
F. L. MURRAY, Agent.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL R. R

GOING SOUTH

Passenger†	11:11 a m
Passenger†	3:35 a m
Freight Passenger†	6:20 a m
LaSalle†	6:10 p m
Freight	3:00 p m

GOING NORTH.

Passenger*	9:53 a m
LaSalle Passenger†	6:20 a m
Passenger†	2:25 p m
Freight†	6:10 p m
Freight	9:00 a m

† Daily except Sunday.
* Daily except Monday.
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The trains at the North Dixon depot are five minutes later going north and that time earlier going south.

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—H. O. Gabriel is over from Clinton.

—The concert people arrived at noon from Chicago.

—T. J. Miller attended the Franklin Grove convention.

—A. K. Trusdell attended the old settlers' meeting at Amboy.

—H. Wordsworth from Rock Island was in the city this afternoon.

—The C. & N. W. R. R. Co. a week ago sent a physician over its lines to vaccinate its employes.

—The Red Men will raise three scalps at the wigwam tomorrow night. Braves assemble at 7:30.

—Mr. and Mrs. John A. Heath, parents of Mrs. J. C. Mead, went to Oregon, Wis., today, for a few weeks visit.

—Mrs. Mary Story returned to her home, Oregon, Wis., today, after a three weeks visit with her niece, Mrs. J. C. Mead.

—Geo. Dettrich of Lee Centre recently disposed of his grocery business and removed with his family to Sibley, Iowa.

—Mrs. Chas. Murray of Oak Park, Ill., who has been making a brief visit with the family of Fred Murray, returns home this evening.

—Mrs. W. W. Woolley, of Calmus, Iowa, is visiting with her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Woolley, and will be glad to meet any of her old friends and acquaintances.

—The following young people from Sterling delighted their Dixon friends with a visit today: Misses Dorothy and Helen Brookfield Ruth Galt, and Messrs. Will and Paul Galt, Harry Ferguson and Thomas Crawford.

—F. W. McIntosh arrived here last night from Chicago to join his wife and take in the sights of our pleasant Rock river city, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Creed.

—Prof. A. J. Phillips, of Chicago, announces that he will again form a class in vocal instruction in this city. He will be at St. Luke's tonight during the Eddy concert and at the guild rooms tomorrow to give out hours for lessons.

—E. A. Bodwell and wife, who arrived Saturday from a trip to Niagara Falls and a pleasant visit with relatives in Canada, started to-day, accompanied by their two sons, for Parsons, Kansas, where Mr. Bodwell is engaged in business.

—A Young Men's Republican Club will be organized at the Court House on Thursday evening, September 1st. A full attendance of all interested is desired. A constitution and by-laws will be submitted and a plan of action decided upon for the coming campaign.

—Ralph M. Davis will be the new tuba player in the Henderson shoe factory band. Mr. Davis has had years of experience with traveling circuses and is a talented musician. He comes from Iowa and will take up employment in one of the West End shoe factories.

—Something of a novelty in the way of a social entertaintment will be given by the Dixon Red Men on September 8th. It is a Rhode Island clam bake, a kind of festivity that pale faces in this section of the terrestrial hunting grounds known little about. Nearly thirty braves have attached their signatures to a call for the occasion, which piece of parchment is in the hands of Harry Wheeler.

—We notice that some of our neighboring towns are having balls and chains prepared for vagrants and petty offenders, instead of fattening them in idleness in the lock-up put them to work on the road. If they work well, they are fed well; if they refuse or shirk, they are relegated to a regimen of bread and water. A few days is usually sufficient to secure a fair amount of work from the veriest loafer.

—The three furniture firms of Dixon, C. H. Keyes, C. Gonnerman and H. Camp & Son, have signed an agreement to close their business houses at six o'clock on Wednesday and Thursday evenings hereafter until the first of April, 1893, excepting during the two weeks preceeding Christmas. This is a good move and might with propriety be followed by the retail firms in nearly all lines of business.

—The members of the cycle club, who made the run to Hazelwood last evening, wear a smile on their faces today which is not altogether caused by the memory of how good the watermellon tasted which they carried with them. Rumor has it that the camp of Freeporters at Hazelwood is in some way responsible for a large share of the good time they seem to have had, and that the absent-minded manner which goes with the smile is due the strains of mandolin and guitar music which still float through blissful memory. The boys are not saying anything about it except "You missed it by not being there."

—Previous announcement has been made of the opening of the Young Men's Christian Association entertainment course November 19th by The Walter Emerson Concert Co. Dates have since been arranged for the remainder of the course with the exception of one lecture to be given in February. Dr. James Hedley of Cleveland, Ohio, said by the Buffalo Courier to be "The greatest platform orator of the West," will give a lecture Dec. 16. The Shipp Brothers English Handbell Ringer assited by Miss Eva Bartlett Macey will give a concert Jan. 10th. Leland T. Powers, probably the greatest impersonator on the platform in America will appear March 21st. The closing intertainment will be given April 25th by The Boston Stars, including Mrs. Nella Brown Pond, Chas. D. Kellogg, the inimitable bird warbler and whistler, Miss Adelaide Chester contralto, and Miss Lida J. Low accompanist. The course as a whole will be one which has never been excelled in Dixon. The price of course tickets to members will be $1 50 and those who are not members $2 50

—The republicans of Jordan township, Whiteside county, are to hold a mass meeting next Saturday evening which promises to be lively, as considerable feeling has been developed between the republicans and prohibitionists in that part of the county. It is claimed that some time ago the prohibitionists circulated certain pledges for the signatures of those favoring the suppression of the liquor traffic, securing of course the names of quite a number of republicans. Now the people of the the third party claim that those pledges committed the signers to the support of their candidates and to work for their ticket. Considerable indignation is felt upon the subject by some, who regard the matter as a piece of unworthy political trickery.

—W. C. Woolley and wife last week returned from a two months visit with relatives in Northwestern Kansas, spending most of the time at Hays City, Ellis county, on the Union Pacific. Mr. Wooley has shown us samples of wheat which he brought home with him. It is excellent in quailty and the yield is from 30 to 35 bushels per acre. He says the farmers throughout the state are jubilant this year, having been blessed with a season of remarkable prosperity. They have heretofore been at the mercy of grain speculators but are now in a position to store their grain and hold it for paying prices. Kansas is a prohibition state and we have known Mr. Woolley for many years as a temperance worker; but he says, that not only in the border towns, but in the interior of the state, those who desire it find no difficulty in procuring all the beer and liquor they want.

—A number of good horses were brought to Dixon last night from Freeport and established at Maple Park. A. S. Hackley, the expert trainer, was along. Four of the animals are the property of D. Scott, a big Chicago horseman, who has correctly decided that Dixon is the best location. C. J. Cole, of Ridott, is also here with his highly bred Morgan stallion, Billy Morrell, which has been placed in Hackley's hands and is expected to trot soon in 2:27. The other stallions are Captain Dick, John Brown and Charles Sumner. They are young horses and not yet sufficiently developed in trotting speed to form an estimate as to their future capabilities. Jennie Gardner is a fine, well formed beast and may do something in time worth chronicling. Mr. Cole said he was better pleased with Dixon than with Freeport and thought that there was little question but that Dixon would see Mr. Scott and himself establish their headquarters here.

—George K. Reynolds was in a brown study last night over the jam of people about his confectionery on First street. Maidens, youthful and aged peered anxiously about in a mysterious manner, nudging and whispering to each other. Finally one, an elderly matron a little braver than the rest, inquired if Madam Church, the fortune teller, was not present somewhere. Her query was immediately negatived, and then it all came out that this paper had said that the Madam would be located at Reynolds' ice cream parlors last night instead of at the Washington House. The frame building at the corner of First street and Ottawa, occupied by W. W. Reynolds, the ice cream manufacturer, was meant. It seems that the little French woman brought so many people to the Washington that mein host Franklin had little room for the proper accommodation of guests and that a move was imperative. Coming to the city with scarcely any money and in ill health, the woman has struck in Dixon a bonanza. Her husband, an insurance man, came on yesterday to if possible render his assistance.

—The September Popular Science Monthly opens with the concluding part of Dr. Andrew D. White's paper on Geography, in his Warfare of Science series. The disbelief of the mediæval theologians that men could live on the opposite side of the globe is the chief subject of this chapter. Dr. Charles C. Abbott contributes an illustrated article testifying to the skill of The Delaware Indian as an Artist. The number contains also one of Prof. Huxley's trenchant papers on The Decline of Bibliolatry, in which the conviction is expressed that a mere nominal belief in the Bible is rapidly displacing the old practical belief. Under the title Infectionus Disease: Causation and Immunity, Dr. G. M. Sternberg, U. S. A., tells what has been learned in this field up to date. Prof. Joseph Jastrow presents a Further Study of Involuntary Movements, supplementing an earlier paper on this subject. The article is accompanied by thirteen tracings of the movements described. The trouble at the Carnegie mills gives timeliness to Conrad Reno's reply to Edward Atkinson, on The Wage contract and Personal Liberty. Mr. Reno advocates compulsory arbitration through a State tribunal as the remedy for labor disputes. Some very strange occurrences are described in Mr. William A. Eddy's paper on Incalculable Accidents. M. Jules Richard writes on Tobacco and the Tobacco Habit.

From Compton.

Last Monday a party of young folks gathered at Miss Grace Davison's to celebrate her thirteenth birthday. Everybody enjoyed themselves.

Mrs. Joe Kesle visited in town last Tuesday.

The missionary entertainment in the M. E. church was well attended and enjoyed by all Sunday evening. A good many from West Brooklyn were present.

School commenced Monday.

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all. Take the instance of tin plate, which will apply to any commodity. With a revenue tariff of 1 cent a pound American capital could not safely venture to undertake the domestic manufacture, exposed to unrestrained foreign competition, as, if it did embark in the enterprise, it was sure to be driven to swift destruction. Twice within the last quarter of a century, and before the act of 1890, we attempted to make tin plate under this revenue duty of a cent a pound, and twice were we compelled to abandon it.

Congressmen Burrows stated in a speech that in 1872 we were paying $12 a box for foreign tin. Under the stimulus of such an exorbitant price we undertook its manufacture in the United States. To stop this competition the importer lowered the American market to $4 a box, below the cost of production, and at once arrested and destroyed the industry in this country. No sooner was this accomlished than the foreigner again advanced the price to $10 a box. Again American mills started up, and again prices fell to $4 a box, and our mills closed. Then, in order to prevent any further effort to revive the industry in the United States the importer notified his American customers that whatever American tin was offered for, the foreign article would be furnished at 25 cents less. And so under a free-trade revenue tariff, the domestic manufacture of tin plates was arrested and destroyed and the American market secured to the foreign producers. We have now imposed a protective duty, not for the benefit of the manufacturers alone, but for the benefit of all the people, in the confident belief and expectation that we will establish this industry in the United States and ultimately reduce the price to all the people.

A Woman's Invention.

Many of those who heard the stirring address of Mrs. Helen M. Barker, of the board of lady managers, at the Assembly, were, no doubt, surprised to learn how large a part woman is taking in the work of the world,—while her plain home thrusts at the unrenumerative work of the farmer's wife were too true to be gainsaid. But very few, probably, were aware that an invention of a Lee county woman is likely to revolutionize at least one department of the farm-labor and profit. We refer to the ingenious contrivance recently patented by Mrs. Mary A. Hawley of this city, for automatically ridding poultry of parasites.

Any one who has ever tried to raise poultry has learned by sad experience, not only how large a percentage die from the parasites, but also how surely disease will follow when they fasten upon the poor birds. Or if they survive both, and reach their destined place, upon the dinner table, now untoothsome and tasteless the dainty, "spring chicken," may become when its juices are drained and its taste gone to feed the hateful pest.

Mrs. Hawley's little machine is so simple that everyone who sees it is tempted to use the expression of the chief of the patent office, when he examined it, "Well, I wonder it wasn't invented long ago." Yet it is so complete and practical that, to quote the comment of an enterprising Dixon's farmer's wife (we mean an enterprising wife) "Famer's wives can raise poultry now, and make money on it with almost no risk or trouble."

Old Settlers' Reunion.

The sudden change it temperature prevented a number of old settlers in this vicinity from attending the meeting at Amboy to-day, and there being no train south until after the hour fixed for the meeting, others who would have attended had provision been made for earlier arrival, remained at home. However, quite a number took the eleven o'clock train, and others went by livery teams and private conveyance. Quite an interesting meeting was had, full particulars of which will be given to-morrow. Following are a few brief points made by Hon. E. E. Wingert in his annual address:

Like Cicero in his defense of Roscius, Mr. Wingert apologized that one of more sufficient age might not have been selected to deliver the annual address, that it would have been better could a sturdy pioneer with memories of days gone by filled the sturdy individual remnants with the experience of times of trial and early hardship.

The accomplishment of four centuries since the landing of Columbus in October, 1492, has been equalled in a most prodigious manner in the last fifty years. Speaking of the wonderful age of mechanical inventions and discoveries it was to be regretted that America did not possess some mighty intellect to do for us what Scott has done for Brittain.

Such a one would show us the glories of the prairies and forest lands in the primæval day. Transcendental beauties would forcibly appear to robe our barren historic page with new and rich glory. A highly roseate and Utopian future was predicted. America would rise in grandeur and march on in progress and be the gem of all ages.

From Sublette.

Mrs. Ida Palmer and child, of Madison, Ind., is visiting her parents, Elijah Levering and and wife.

Miss Gertie Crawford has returned from her visit in Cleveland, Ohio.

Howard Lewis, of Mendota, visited friends in town one day last week.

Charles Clark, who works in the meat market, got his hand badly cut, accidentally, with a butcher knife.

A Nice! a Week.

The plan of easy payment for city property seems to have culminated in the scheme of a real estate dealer in the now rapidly developing river town of Savannah, this state, who offers building lots 40 by 60 feet in size on the payment of five cents, the puchaser to pay a nickel a week until the whole is paid. "On the face of it," says the Rockford Register "the scheme looks preposterous, but when it is examined into and the facts ascertained, it is discovered that it is not only possible to carry it though to success but there is absolutely no doubt of its paying the innovator. A large tract of land is purchased at a fair price and divided up into four or five lots to the acre. The price of these lots is placed at a figure that will yield four or five times the orginal cost. The purchaser has three years time in which to pay for the large tract he has bought. By selling off the lots at a low figure and what is only fair price when the payments are so small, at the end of three years the accumulated nickels make a sum twice as great as what he must pay out for the land. The balance and the interest that has accrued is profit, and there are still two years during which a stream of nickels will be pouring into the treasury At the present time nearly 300 people are buying lots on the nickel-a-week plan, and there is talk of a company to buy up land near the city and sell it off in building lots at payments of 25 and 50 cents a week. Now that such a plan has been inaugurated there is no telling where it will stop. The day of big payments may cease and that of small ones begin, the difference in the price making up for the longer time required to complete the payment."

Prof. A. A. Phillips may be seen tomorrow at the guild rooms by all who wish to consult in regard to music lessons.

California peaches and pairs are the only good fruit on the market this season. Go to Ed. Morris' candy bazaar and get the selections of the market. 7515

Lovers of vocal music will be pleased to know that Prof. Phillips, of Chicago, has arrived and will give a course of vocal lessons.

HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING.

ILLINOIS.

Sealed proposals for the erection of an eight room, Brick High School Building in the City of Dixon, Ills., will be received by the undersigned at his office in Dixon, Ills., until 7 o'clock p. m. September 10th, 1892, at which time bids will be opened.

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Plans and specifications may be seen at either the office of Glanfield Bros., architects, Dixon, or the office of

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Forty-eight entries to the trotting and pacing races at Sterling next Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. 7114

Carriages will be admitted free to the Sterling races next Wednesday, Thursday and Friday.

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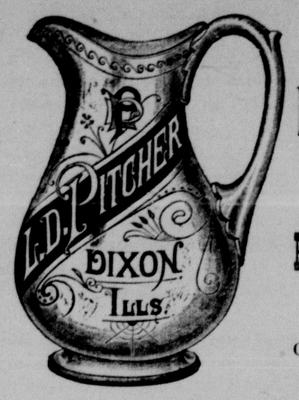
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